

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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TITLE: HEADWEAR ITEM, AND MORE PARTICULARLY A CAP, A VISOR AND OTHERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In conjunction with the filing of the present application, and prior to an initial Official Action on this matter, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Preliminary Amendment: SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

In Paragraph [0010], please amend the paragraph as follows:

In particular, ~~we shall endeavour~~ the present invention intends to provide a headwear item easy of manufacture, of one-size type at least for a given population, i.e. which may suit heads of different diameters as well as meet advertising requirements notably.

In Paragraph [0014], please amend the paragraph as follows:

The invention will be understood better when reading the description, with the appended drawings; ~~wherein:~~

In Paragraph [0018], please amend the paragraph as follows:

Figure 4 is a cross sectional view, along the line IV of Figure 1, showing how said elastic means co-operate with said headdress, at said cut-out.

IN THE ABSTRACT

On page 9, in the Abstract, please amend the paragraph as follows:

The invention concerns a headwear item, formed of a headdress~~(1)~~ open or closed, fitted with 2 a visor~~(2)~~ and elastic ~~means~~~~(3)~~ device co-operating with ~~said the~~ headdress~~(1)~~. According to the invention, ~~said the~~ headdress exhibits at least one cut-out~~(4)~~ at least over a portion of its periphery, and ~~said the~~ elastic ~~means~~~~(3)~~ co-operate device cooperates with ~~said the~~ headdress~~(1)~~ at least at ~~said the~~ cut-out~~(4)~~ and ~~remain~~ remains visible at ~~said the~~ cut-out~~(4)~~.